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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed June 7, 2001, applicants enclose a substitute specification to comply with the size requirements.

Applicants also enclose an abstract of the disclosure.

The Notice indicates that the drawings filed are unacceptable and that replacement pages are required. There are no drawings in this application, nor were any drawings filed with the application on May 3, 2001.

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Applicants enclose from parent application U.S.S.N. 09/776,470 filed March 28, 1997, a copy of the Power of Attorney by Assignee of Entire Interest and Revocation of Prior Powers, and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) executed by West Pharmaceutical Services Drug Delivery and Clinical Research Centre Limited, which was filed on May 8, 2001.

Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed June 7, 2001.

There has been a change in correspondence address. All future correspondence should be sent to the undersigned:

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Account No. 50-1868. A duplicate of this transmittal is enclosed to facilitate this process.

Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

### Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
  - The specification cannot be scanned or properly stored. Page(s)
    - o 1-18 do not comply with the size requirements (8 ½ by 11 inches or 21.0 by 29.7 cm). The drawings filed are unacceptable because:

      Replacement page(s), together with a statement that the replacement page(s) contain no new matter, are required.
- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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